

March 18, 2004

EX PARTE

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Docket No. 96-115

In the Matter of Implementation of the Telecommunications Act of 1996,
Telecommunications Carriers' Use of Customer Proprietary Network Information and
Other Customer Information

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On March 17, 2004, I spoke by telephone with William Kehoe of the Wireline Competition Bureau regarding the petitions for reconsideration in the above captioned proceeding. We spoke about the outstanding issues of importance to the Yellow Pages Integrated Media Association (YPIMA, formerly the Yellow Pages Publishers Association) that were raised in the March 4, 2004 ex parte filed by the Association of Directory Publishers (ADP). In particular, we discussed YPIMA's concern with ADP's request to impose a listing clearinghouse obligation on incumbent local exchange carriers. We also discussed the use of non-published listings for the purposes of directory delivery and the requirement to make contracts between carriers and their directory publishers available for inspection by other directory publishers.

Sincerely,

Joel Bernstein

cc: William Kehoe

